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In re Applicant:

JAMES D. BENNETT

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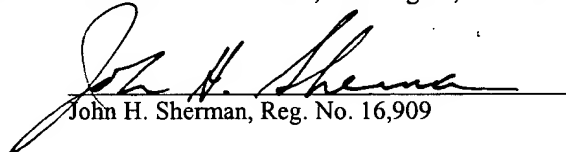
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Responsive to the Official Action dated 09/26/01, Applicant respectfully submits a Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time, and the following amendments and remarks.

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